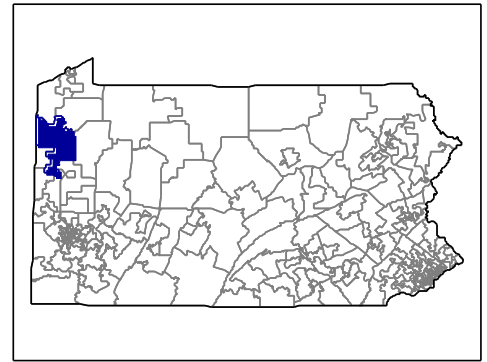


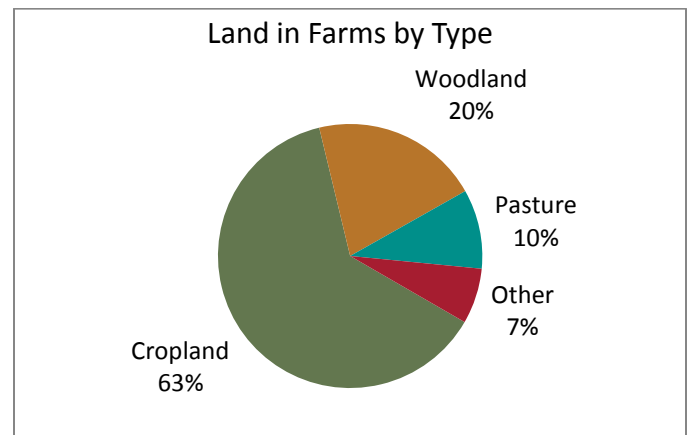
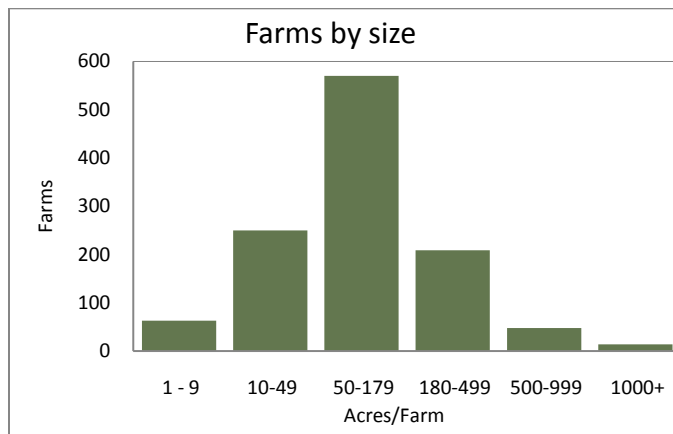
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Pennsylvania House District 17

	2007	2002	% change
Number of Farm Operators	1,823	1,759	+ 4
Number of Farms	1,154	1,142	+ 1
Land in Farms	168,642 acres	155,785 acres	+ 8
Average Size of Farm	146 acres	136 acres	+ 7
Irrigated Land	123 acres	199 acres	- 38
Market Value of Products Sold	\$57,799,000	\$44,049,000	+ 31
Average Per Farm Reporting Sales	\$50,086	\$38,572	+ 30
Gross Income, Farm Related Sources	\$2,669,000	\$1,996,000	+ 34
Government Payments	\$1,553,000	\$1,597,000	- 3
Average Per Farm Receiving Payments	\$3,514	\$5,645	- 38



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Ranked items among the 203 house districts in the state, 2007

Item	Quantity	State rank	Universe ¹
MARKET VALUE OF AGRICULTURAL PRODUCTS SOLD (\$1,000)			
Total value of agricultural products sold	57,799	38	176
Value of crops including nursery and greenhouse	19,685	26	171
Value of livestock, poultry and their products	38,113	33	165
VALUE OF SALES BY COMMODITY GROUP (\$1,000)			
Grains, oilseeds, dry beans, and dry peas	13,910	7	143
Tobacco	-	-	30
Cotton and cottonseed	-	-	-
Vegetables, melons, potatoes, and sweet potatoes	795	49	148
Fruits, tree nuts, and berries	475	55	140
Nursery, greenhouse, floriculture, and sod	1,799	47	152
Cut Christmas trees and short rotation woody crops	35	74	125
Other crops and hay	2,672	15	152
Poultry and eggs	326	56	147
Cattle and calves	8,134	23	149
Milk and other dairy products from cows	27,645	24	128
Hogs and pigs	436	50	128
Sheep, goats, and their products	219	14	134
Horses, ponies, mules, burros and donkeys	290	28	135
Aquaculture	(D)	46	83
Other animals and other animal products	(D)	10	130
TOP CROP ITEMS (acres)			
Forage - land used for all hay, haylage, grass silage, and green chop	32,632	12	157
Corn for grain	32,442	4	142
Soybeans for beans	11,343	6	121
Corn for silage or greenchop	6,849	21	128
Oats for grain	4,596	3	123
TOP LIVESTOCK INVENTORY ITEMS (number)			
Pheasants	(D)	2	93
Cattle and calves	28,363	17	151
Layers	4,803	44	141
Mink and their pelts	(D)	4	8
Hogs and pigs	3,135	43	127

Other House District Highlights

Economic Characteristics	Quantity	Operator characteristics	Quantity
Farms by value of sales		Principal operators by primary occupation:	
Less than \$1,000	324	Farming	582
\$1,000 to \$2,499	100	Other	572
\$2,500 to \$4,999	107		
\$5,000 to \$9,999	114	Principal operators by sex:	
\$10,000 to \$19,999	115	Male	1,004
\$20,000 to \$24,999	39	Female	150
\$25,000 to \$39,999	83		
\$40,000 to \$49,999	41	Average age of principal operator (years)	56
\$50,000 to \$99,999	54		
\$100,000 to \$249,999	128	All operators by race ² :	
\$250,000 to \$499,999	34	American Indian or Alaskan Native	7
\$500,000 or more	15	Asian	1
Total farm production expenses (\$1,000)	48,964	Black or African American	7
Average per farm (\$)	42,430	Native Hawaiian or Other Pacific Islander	-
		White	1,775
Net cash farm income of operation (\$1,000)	13,058	More than one race	6
Average per farm (\$)	11,315	All operators of Spanish, Hispanic or Latino Origin ²	11

(D) Cannot be disclosed.

¹ Universe is number of house districts in state with item.

² Data were collected for a maximum of three operators per farm.